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## AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION UNDER 37 CFR 1.116

Responsive to the Final Office Action, dated December 20, 2001 and the Interview Summary mailed January 25, 2002, please amend the application as follows.

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IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend the claims by rewriting as follows:

(Amended twice) A current mirror comprising: 13.

a first transistor having a first terminal and a second terminal coupled together to cause the first transistor to operate as a diode, and a third terminal coupled to a common node;

a first inductor coupled between an input terminal and the first terminal of the first transistor to reduce the noise of the current mirror;

a second transistor having a first terminal for transmitting an output signal, a second terminal coupled to the input terminal, and a third terminal; and 02/28/2002 MAHMED1 00000076 131703 075 15075

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